

Dear FCC: I'm commenting on this case as it would affect one of my favorite regional FM networks, K-Love, a religious broadcaster, as well as my church's local station & translators, WRDR fm 89.7 Freehold, NJ. Although there are no local K-Love stations in my area, I'm including it in my comments for the good work it does in the local communities where they do have stations. K-Love, as well as WRDR, have an unusual broadcasting style, bring both quality Bible preaching and contemporary Christian music (as opposed to hymn style slow music). They both have phone lines where one can reach the station w/a song request or prayer request. WRDR also has community events lists broadcasted at various times per day for the Freehold, NJ area & K-Love has listings for their listening areas as well.

If LPFM stations were to exist on their frequencies, they would most likely interfere w/the reception of the above stations, thus resulting in a listenership decline. Since both of these stations are listener supported, this may have an adverse effect on station operations. Also, LPFM broadcasters may not be religious in nature & may play music or talk shows detrimental to the well being of the community by putting profane & indecent programming on the air. Also, due to the fact that a lot of shut ins listen to both stations, this may deprive them of their only source of religious programming or services. Both K-Love & WRDR fm provide their communities w/support that no secular station can give- the power of prayer! I hope thast you can come up w/a plan that would allow both K-Love & WRDR to keep their fm translators as well as one that would make the LPFM people happy. This may be a hard thing to do, but it will be well worth your time!